

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 STATE 211399

64

ORIGIN SCCT-01

INFO OCT-01 ARA-06 ISO-00 L-03 PM-04 NSC-05 SP-02 SS-15

CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 DODE-00 H-02 PRS-01 SY-05

SCS-03 SCA-01 OPR-02 FBIE-00 EB-07 COME-00 USSS-00

SSO-00 NSCE-00 INRE-00 /065 R

DRAFTED BY S/CCT: EWSCHAEFER:NWH

APPROVED BY S/CCT: RAFAREY

ARA/APU - MR. FELDER

L/SFP - MR. FIELDS

----- 115993

O 052008Z SEP 75 ZFF4

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES NIACT IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 211399

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS

SUBJECT: REPORT OF KIDNAPPING

1. ACCORDING TO ROBERT HUERTA, CHIEF OF THE CORPORATE SECURITY STAFF OF STANDARD OIL OF INDIANA, THE PRESIDENT OF AMOCO ARGENTINA (ARGENTINE NATIONAL, NAME NOT GIVEN) TELEPHONED HIS HOME OFFICE IN CHICAGO FROM BUENOS AIRES SEPTEMBER 4 TO REPORT THAT HE HAD HEARD ABOUT A KIDNAPPING (NATIONALITY OF ALLEGED VICTIM NOT STATED) FROM THE PLAZA HOTEL IN BUENOS AIRES, APPARENTLY WITHIN THE LAST FEW DAYS. HE GAVE NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND APPEARED TO BE RELUCTANT DISCUSS DETAILS ON THE PHONE.

2. HUERTA CALLED DEPARTMENT TO ASK IF WE HAD ANY CONFIRMING INFORMATION. HE EXPRESSED HIS FIRM'S CONCERN OVER REPORT, NOTING THAT VISITING EXECUTIVES OF STANDARD OIL OF

CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 STATE 211399

INDIANA AND SUBSIDIARIES USUALLY STAY AT PLAZA HOTEL.

3. SIMILARLY, A SENIOR HONEYWELL EXECUTIVE INFORMED US SEPTEMBER 5 THAT A CARGILL CORPORATION EXECUTIVE HAD TOLD HIM THAT A SENIOR EXECUTIVE OF AN UNIDENTIFIED US CORPORATION HAD BEEN KIDNAPPED AT THE PLAZA HOTEL IN THE PAST FEW DAYS. THE EXECUTIVE SAID THAT THE MATTER WAS BEING HELD VERY CLOSELY TO PROTECT THE INDIVIDUAL'S LIFE.

4. APPRECIATE EMBASSY COMMENTS. SHOULD EMBASSY WISH CONTACT AMOCO ARGENTINA ON SUBJECT, HUERTA REQUESTS EMBASSY CONTACT ROBERT HANSEN, VICE PRESIDENT, AMOCO ARGENTINA. ROBINSON

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: KIDNAPPING
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 05 SEP 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: GolinoFR
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975STATE211399
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: EWSCHAEFER:NWH
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750307-1123
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750978/aaaacrny.tel
Line Count: 73
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ORIGIN SCCT
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: GolinoFR
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 04 SEP 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <04 SEP 2003 by SmithRJ>; APPROVED <08 DEC 2003 by GolinoFR>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
06 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: REPORT OF KIDNAPPING
TAGS: PINS, AR, (HUERTA, ROBERT)
To: BUENOS AIRES
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 06 JUL 2006